

Story of the Year  
Jones and I Go to  
Annual AP Meeting

The story of the year, I think was the one published by the Wall Street Journal last Friday:  
Zombies

The salesman had been ordered to thoroughly canvass a certain community during one of his periodic trips. His orders were specific in that the canvass must be thorough, regardless of length of time required. After three days of footwork without results, he wired his main office as follows: "Request release from assignment. This town so poor they don't even have a cemetery."

The next morning his office wired: "What do they do with their dead?"  
Back went the reply: "They are walking the streets."

Managing Editor Paul H. Jones and yours truly attended the spring meeting of the Arkansas Associated Press in Hot Springs Sunday, giving the lie to earlier reports we wouldn't be there on account of conflict with a fishing week-end.

It rained in Hope from Saturday midnight on, and we had rain Sunday morning all the way to Arkadelphia. From there on into Hot Springs the pavement was dry, but the shoulders were still wet; and in Hot Springs they told us it had rained through the night. We came home Sunday afternoon by way of Glenwood, Murfreesboro, and Nashville — and we can assure you this whole area has had some "weather."

I don't know what the rest of the season will do for us but at least for the month of May, the spectre of a third consecutive dry year has been put to flight.

An Associated Press convention has its amusing side. They are still airing some of the same publisher "bores" I heard at my first one 30 years ago. It was in 1924 at the Marion hotel in Little Rock that I saw a head-on collision between the late C. P. J. Mooney, boss of the Memphis Commercial Appeal, and the late Fred Heiskell, managing editor of the Arkansas Gazette. Mooney was accusing Little Rock of delaying putting Arkansas items on the wire until Memphis had already gone to press with its east Arkansas edition. It was a beautiful row, ending — as always — in a draw.

I heard something similar this Sunday, although the discussion didn't get out of Arkansas. An evening-paper member noted that local items were coming on the wire later than they used to. And another member retorted:

"But news is breaking later in the morning nowadays. In other years there used to be quite a few public meetings during the early morning. But now the stores don't open until 9 o'clock, and when you take out the 'coffee hour,' you couldn't possibly call a public meeting before 10."

Another side-light on the AP convention: Hot Springs usually wins the vote for the next meeting place hands down. It's centrally located for everyone in the state and wears the holiday manner of a seaside resort.

This time Helena and Rogers mounted a couple of bids for the 1955 meeting but with wry smiles. If either of them won, it meant the other fellow would have to drive 350 miles to the convention. Their anxiety was quickly relieved. The convention will meet in Hot Springs again next year.

## Conway, Hope Newsmen Are Elected

HOT SPRINGS (AP) — Members of the Arkansas Associated Press Association elected Joe McGee, editor of the Conway Log Cabin Democrat, president and voted to meet at Hot Springs again in 1955 at a one-day meeting here yesterday.

The out-going president is Ted Wylie, editor of the Northwest Arkansas Times at Fayetteville. Other officers named included Alex Washburn, co-publisher of the Hope Star, vice president. Washburn also was named chairman of the News Study Committee.

Sam Gearhart of the Northwest Arkansas Times Publishing board was named to the executive board for the fifth consecutive time. The association passed a resolution extending sympathy to Don Reynolds of the Southwest Publishing Co., at Fort Smith in the recent death of his father.

Representatives from 23 of the association's 28 Arkansas newspapers voted to continue the cooperative effort in compiling results of the Democratic primaries in Arkansas.

For the second straight year, Larry Obsitnik, chief photographer of the Arkansas Gazette at Little Rock, was presented the C. E. Palmer trophy for winning the 1953 Grand Sweepstakes award in the Grand Photo Contest.

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## Vietminh Rejects French Terms for Armistice

By EDDY GILMORE

GENEVA — The delegate of Communist-led Vietminh took the floor in the Indochinese peace talks today and an unofficial Communist source said he rejected the French terms for an armistice in Indochina.

The Vietminh representative, Deputy Premier Pham Van Dong, addressed a closed meeting of the nine-party Indochina conference shortly after the Viet Nam delegation had appealed for quick action to arrange for the removal of the wounded from Dien Bien Phu.

The unofficial Communist source said the Communists had decided the French proposal would not even serve as a basis for discussion.

A short time later, an official French spokesman also said the Vietminh delegate opposed the armistice plan advanced by French Foreign Minister Georges Bidault at Saturday's opening session on Indochina.

Today's meeting got off with a wrangle as the Viet Nam delegate and Bidault accused Soviet Foreign Minister V. M. Molotov of holding back a Viet Nam letter and allowing, instead, the Vietminh delegate to speak. Molotov is today's conference chairman.

The sequence of events as reported by official French sources, was:

The Viet Nam delegation handed a letter to Molotov, suggesting something be done to evacuate seriously wounded French Union prisoners.

Instead of reading the letter at the beginning of the meeting, Molotov recognized the delegate from the Communist-led Vietminh. The delegate then proposed the badly wounded be returned by arrangement between the field commanders.

When he finished, the Viet Nam spokesman said he regretted Molotov had not seen fit to read his letter.

## French Planes Hit Roads Around Fort

HANOI, Indochina — French fighters and bombers today heavily attacked key roads leading northeastward from the fallen fortress of Dien Bien Phu. The roads are jammed with thousands of Communist Vietminh troops and big Molotov truck convoys.

Dropping 1,000-pound high explosive bombs and heavily strafing, the warplanes centered their attacks upon the road from Tuan Giao, 27 miles northeast of Dien Bien Phu, and running eastward to Na San, 117 miles west of Hanoi.

It was at Na San in the winter of 1952 and 1953 that the French, as at Dien Bien Phu, had for months put up a valiant resistance against encircling and vastly superior Vietminh forces.

The French evacuated Na San Aug. 11, 1953 and the Vietminh quickly moved in to it as a base for pursuing their conquest of the pro-French Thai Peoples country and the eventual attack upon Dien Bien Phu.

The French high command reported today that warplanes had cut the road between Tuan Giao and Na San in 10 places.

Vietminh troops and convoys were reported moving two ways today: into and out of the Thai country of northwestern Indochina. Those going in may be for reinforcing Vietminh positions in Thai capital of Lai Chau, 200 miles west of Hanoi.

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## U.S. Aid to France Will Continue

WASHINGTON (AP) — The fall of Dien Bien Phu will leave unchanged the American program of military assistance to the French Union and Associated States in Indochina, a Pentagon spokesman said today.

The sea and air shipment of equipment and supplies and the assistance of aircraft technicians to keep flying the planes turned over to the free forces in Indochina by the United States will continue, the spokesman said.



"DIEN BIEN PHU EST TOMBE"—These Parisians mirror the sadness of all France as they read the headlines which proclaim, "Dien Bien Phu is fallen." Peking radio reports indicate that Dien Bien Phu's commander, Brig-Gen. Christian de Castries, may be among the prisoners taken when the Indo-China fortress was overrun by Communist Viet Minh hordes. Some 9,000 men garrisoned the fortress in its dying hours. (NEA Radio-Telephoto)

## 'No Riding' Agreement Gets Boost

By NORMAN WAKER

WASHINGTON (AP) — The CIO-AFL "no riding" agreement that has been kicked around for many months appeared likely to get a new shot in the arm at a special CIO Executive Board session today.

Advance word from CIO informants says that, barring an upset, the board members would decide to ask the AFL to go ahead at once with the labor peace plan negotiated last fall by the rival labor groups.

The agreement would bind a union in one federation against seeking to take over members already organized by a union in the other federation. The pact is regarded as a necessary first step toward any AFL-CIO merger.

The CIO, worried that not too many AFL unions would join the pact, decided last March to delay ratifying it. Later it warned that nearly 7 of the AFL's 110 unions were willing to go along, so today's Executive Board session was arranged to reconsider the March action.

There remained the possibility of some powerful opposition, however. The CIO steelworkers headed by David J. McDonald, one of the CIO's largest unions, may balk at approving. The Pittsburgh Post-Gazette reported yesterday that the steelworkers would balk.

## Armed Forces Week to Be Observed Here May 10-15

In observance of Armed Forces Week, May 10, through 15, the local National Guard will hold open house Tuesday May 11, 7:30 A.M. through 7:30 P.M. Although there will not be any formal ceremonies at that time, there will be some very interesting exhibits on display in the Armory. These exhibits will consist of Infantry Weapons, a full range of other equipment which the public may or may not get the privilege of seeing anywhere else.

"Open House" at the National Guard Armory will be held in conjunction with a regularly scheduled drill of the local unit. It will give the people of this area a chance to visit and sit in on some of the training being conducted in a regular National Guard drill. Parents, wives, relatives, and interested persons are cordially invited to attend this informal celebration of Armed Forces Week.

## The Old Gives Way for the New — So Moriarty's Tavern Gives Way to a Skyscraper

By HAL BOYLE

NEW YORK (AP) — A 26-cent cigar stuck up from the mouth of the corpse. Some said the corpse puffed. It didn't.

It was a real cigar in a dummy corpse. The corpse had the heavy John L. Lewis eyebrows of an Irishman named Patrick Moriarty. Moriarty is the blackbrowed immigrant proprietor of a tavern two doors east of another establishment that shall be nameless except for the fact that it is secret.

There was no disposition to minimize the effect if the fall of the fortress should prove a forerunner to the loss of all Indochina. The latter, Adm. Arthur W. Radford, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, said recently, could be "a prelude to the loss of all Southeast Asia."

Since their food dens are so close together, Moriarty and Shor naturally have about the same wholesome, heart-warming Demon and Pythias regard for each other as Bob Stevens does for Joe McGee.

## Hope Man Found Shot to Death in His Auto

Joe Watson, 41-year-old Hope man, was found shot to death in his automobile about 3 p.m. Sunday on Highway 67, near Fulton.

The body was found by his brother, Tommy Watson, Shreveport resident, who recognized his brother's auto and stopped to investigate. He was enroute to Shreveport after a visit with his mother in Hope.

Investigating State Police Lt. J. H. Porterfield and Coroner R. V. Herndon said the man had been dead from eight to 12 hours when his body was discovered.

The victim had left Hope a few days before for Fort Worth, Texas seeking work, members of his family told officers. He formerly was employed by the Hope Street Department.

A distant kinsman, Bob Prather, told officers the victim had borrowed a 22 calibre rifle from him a short time before. The gun was found beside the body. The bullet struck Watson in the chest.

A full investigation revealed no indication of foul play. Coroner Herndon and Mr. Porterfield said there was no way to determine whether the shooting was accidental or suicide.

Besides his mother, Mrs. Pearl Watson, and brother Tommy, he is also survived by another brother, Jimmy Watson, with the U.S. Army Forces, two sisters, Mrs. James Embrey of Little Rock and Mrs. Tom Speed of Pine Bluff.

## Transit Strike Sorely Felt at Pittsburgh

By JOHN MOODY

PITTSBURGH (AP) — Pittsburgh area commuters felt the first real impact of a day-old transit strike today as city officials braced themselves for a long traffic headache.

Mayor David L. Lawrence, who worked vainly to keep 2,700 trolley and bus operators on the job beyond the strike deadline yesterday morning, warned the more than two million residents of Pittsburgh's greater metropolitan area "the transportation curtailment may last months."

The operators, members of Division 85, AFL Amalgamated Assn. of Street Electric Railway and Motor Coach Employees, walked off the job after Pittsburgh Railways Co. rejected demands for a 30-cent hourly pay increase. It was the first mass transit strike here since 1924.

## Violent Death Toll Reaches 18

By The Associated Press

Four weekend deaths, including a homicide, raised to 18 Arkansas' violent fatality toll for the week ended last midnight.

Garland County Sheriff Will Lowe said 47-year-old Elmer Randal of Hot Springs died of knife wounds there Saturday the Sheriff said Elmer Merrill 54 of Hot Springs was charged with first degree murder.

Randal was found beside a road near Hot Springs after officers were called to investigate a fight between the dead man and Merrill. Lowe said neighbors told him the two had argued previously over property lines.

The bullet-pierced body of 42-year-old Joe Watson of Hope was found yesterday in his parked car near Hope.

State Police Lt. Harold Porterfield said the man had been dead eight to 12 hours when Watson's brother, Tommy, found the victim at a roadside park about 13 miles west of Hope.

The trooper quoted Tommy Watson as saying he recognized his brother's car as he was enroute to his home at Shreveport after visiting relatives in Hope.

A 22 calibre bullet wound was found in the body, Porterfield said. Herndon said the case is being investigated further before a verdict is made.

A speeding automobile skidded off a highway and overturned near Marked Tree Saturday carrying two men to their death. They were identified as Lowell A. Anderson, 40, of Michigan City, Ind., and Ernest Lee Smith 28, of Troy, Ark.



WANTS LETTER "ON THE RECORD"—Sen. Karl E. Mundt (R., S.D.) telling chairman of the Senate investigating Subcommittee, tells reporters that he will write Attorney General Herbert Brownell, Jr., for a ruling on whether any part of Sen. Joseph R. McCarthy's 24-page alleged "secret FBI letter" can be made public. Brownell has refused to release the whole document, now a point of dispute in the McCarthy-Army hearings on the grounds of security. McCarthy has threatened to release the letter despite Brownell's objection. (NEA Telephoto)

## Mrs. Jackson Succumbs at Daughter's Home

Mrs. Rosa Lee Jackson, wife of the late R. T. Jackson, died late Sunday night at the home of a daughter, Mrs. A. R. Whitlow in Hope.

She is survived by two other daughters, Mrs. M. H. Moody of Idabel, Okla., Mrs. J. B. Martin of Marion, Ark.

Funeral services will be held at 2:30 p.m. Tuesday at Herndon-Cornelius. Burial will be in Rose Hill Cemetery.

Active pallbearers: D. C. Jackson of Lewisville, Paul Jackson of Springfield, La., Gus Warren of Prescott, R. T. Warren of El Dorado and Tommy Doyle of Magnolia.

## Annual Red Cross Meeting to Be Held Tues. Night

The annual Red Cross meeting will be held at 7:30 o'clock Tuesday night, May 11th in the City Hall. It was announced today by Talbot Field, Jr., County Chairman.

All persons who contributed to the Red Cross Fund Drive this year are members of the Hempstead County Chapter of the American Red Cross and are urged to be present at this meeting for the reports of the past year and the election of officers for this ensuing year.

## District Crop Meet Scheduled in Hope

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — Eight, one-day district meetings will be held starting May 11 to discuss crops on which there are federal acreage allotments.

The schedule as announced by N. A. McGhee, acting administrator for the State Agricultural Stabilization and Conservation Committee, include:

Hope and Batesville, May 11; Jonesboro and Fordyce May 12; Monticello and Hot Springs, May 13 and Brinkley and Russellville, May 14.

## Gun Accident Is Fatal to Youth

ENGLAND — Don Ellis, 14-year-old son of Mr. and Mrs. Epperson Ellis of England, died at a Little Rock hospital last night from an accidental gun shot wound.

Witnesses said young Ellis was wounded yesterday when his .22 calibre rifle fell against the bumper of a truck and discharged.

The accident occurred near the home of his brother-in-law, Dudley Webb. The boy had been hunting.

Besides his parents, young Ellis is survived by four sisters.

## Stevens Ordered to List Names in Discharge Deal

WASHINGTON (AP) — Senate investigation today ordered Secretary of the Army Stevens to list the names of Army officials responsible for giving Maj. Gen. Perses — described by Sen. McCarthy as a "With Amendment Communist" — an honorable discharge.

The action came on a ruling by Chairman Mundt (R-S.D.) of the committee looking into the McCarthy-Army dispute after the group postponed until later today a showdown on the question of cutting short public hearings.

Mundt ordered a closed session at 12:30 p.m. EST to discuss a proposal by Sen. Dirksen (R-Ill.) that public testimony be limited to Stevens and McCarthy and any other testimony be taken in a closed session.

Throughout much of the noon hearing, the McCarthy committee sought to develop its contention that the Army "saddled" Communists and stirred up the public hearings to head off the Senate's diffusing into that situation.

It was in this connection Stevens was directed to submit names of those responsible for giving Perses an honorable discharge.

At one point Sen. McCarthy (R-Mo.) Gen. Kike B. Layton, commander of the 1st Monmouth, was prepared to testify that suspension of 35 employees of radar laboratories "would not have been possible" except for the investigation by McCarthy's subcommittee.

McCarthy and his chief counsel, Roy M. Cohn, have used this line of inquiry over frequent sessions from Ray H. Jenkins, special counsel to the Senate investigating subcommittee.

Cohn brought up the monitoring of telephone calls by McCarthy and asked whether any of the telephone calls had been tapped. McCarthy said he had not.

The secretary is now being asked to enter the spiritual realm. I don't think the secretary should be called upon to continue a thing spiritually.

The morning session ended this noon.

## Drive Planned to Sell Season Grid Tickets

Monday, May 17, a group of persons interested in the high school athletic program will start a campaign to get the system of the year.

The plan is simple and is aimed to buy new season tickets for next fall's home and games of the seven home games. The purchaser of a season ticket will have to pay for six dollars. And the purchaser of a season ticket will get a refund of six dollars. And the purchaser of a season ticket will get a refund of six dollars.

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## All Around the Town

By The Star Staff

NOTES . . . Life-Murphy defeated the Rotary Club 7 to 1 while the Star nine downed Citizens Bank 7 to 2 in Little League play last week-end. . . Hope's Raymond Churchill took first in the 440-yard dash in the state track meet Saturday. . . his time was only one second off of the state record. . . Hurley's Foster No. 1 wildcat oil test near Patmos has been plugged as a dry hole. . . federal court is underway at Texarkana as many local men summoned for jury duty well known in the list of graduates from Saratoga High School published last week the name of Harvey Peebles was omitted, writes Opal Wahle, high school principal. . . Frances Weisenberger, daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Royce Weisenberger of Hope and a student at the University of Arkansas, had a leading part in a drama and lyric drama of the Renaissance Program presented by the University of Arkansas.

At Henderson State Teachers College, Arkadelphia, the 1954 edition of the Star's School Yearbook, "The Star of Hope," was published last week. It lists a lot of Hope students including Adrian Padron who is among the Who's Who group. Gordon Beasley was the most likely some boy. . . Don McGee is a member of the yearbook staff and also a student body senator. . . large. . . and Martin Peckham, who is a student body senator. . . and Martin Peckham, who is a student body senator. . . and Martin Peckham, who is a student body senator.

There will be some forty ladies modeling in the flower hat show tomorrow. . . the four models from the Rose Garden Club will not be eligible for prizes.



## Lawyer Hiring Not Decided Yet

By EDWIN B. HAAKINSON

LITTLE ROCK, Ark. — The Arkansas Supreme Court today held a session to consider the question of hiring a new attorney to represent the state in the case of the late Justice Griffin Smith.

The court was divided 4-3 in its decision. Chief Justice Griffin Smith, who died in 1952, had left a will naming a new attorney to represent the state in the case of the late Justice Griffin Smith.

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**THE LAZY CRAWL**—Pretty Laura Zappi, 18, fortuitously reads her newspaper while a couple of pythons crawl over her. The young snake charmer, member of a traveling circus playing Milan, Italy, was once nearly strangled by a python, but doesn't seem to have lost her nerve.



**MULTI-MILLION-DOLLAR TOAST**—Toasting their good fortune are Canada's newest millionaires, who made their "nest egg" in the recent copper rush at Lake Manitowish, in northern Ontario. From one of their recent claims each received \$1,059,000. The happy trio are, from left to right: Jack Forster, auto salesman; Bill Dawidowich, construction worker, and Roy Barker, "Sunday" prospector.

## MARKETS

### ST. LOUIS STOCKS

**NATIONAL STOCKYARDS, ILL.** — Hogs: 12,500 trade active. Barrows and gilts 25-40 lower. Sows 25 lower. Boars 50 lower. 180-230 lb. 26-75-85 top 27.00 very little above. 225-250 24.00-26.00. 170-200 lb. 24.50-25.75. 15-17 lb. 26.25-28.25 heavier sows 2.25-2.75. Boars 15.50-20.00. Good early clearance.

Cattle: 7,500 calves 1,500 early trading slow. Steers and heifers opened steady to weak. Many bids lower. Cows opened weak to 25 lower. Many bids off 50 or more. Bulls and yearlings steady. Few loads good to low choice steers 20.25-22.75. Good to average choice heifers and mixed yearlings 10.50-23.00. Few lots mixed yearlings 23.50 utility and commercial cows 12.50-15.00. Canner and cutter cows 9.00-13.00. Good and choice vealers 18.00-23.00. Few prime to 25.00 commercial and low good vealers 14.00-18.00.

Sheep: 500 lambs and spring steady. Early sales choice and prime native springers on price at 27.50 some choice to prime No. 2 skins old crop lambs 23.00.

**GRAIN AND PROVISIONS** — CHICAGO (AP) — A slightly easier trend prevailed in grains on the Board of Trade today. Dealings slackened from the pace of last week.

There appeared to be a little precautionary selling in all pits. In wheat this was caused by the fact the government was scheduled to drive in the city of Siloam Springs which the Supreme Court said had been used as a public street since 1891.

The ruling reversed an opinion of Benton Chancery Court. Also reversed was a ruling of Sebastian Probate Court holding that E. F. Brittain could recover from his late wife's estate \$9,145 he had spent personally for medical expenses during her last illness.

Mrs. Brittain died in June, 1953, leaving an estate estimated at \$42,000. She bequeathed more than \$11,000 to her husband.

Like two other cases today, the Brittain ruling was by a 4-3 decision. Chief Justice Griffin Smith wrote the majority opinion with Justices Holt, Milwee and Robinson dissenting.

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issue a regular monthly wheat crop estimate after the market's close.

In corn and oats some of the light selling was based on reports the Agriculture Department might sell part of its feed grain supplies to private exporters at reduced prices.

Soybeans eased with major grains. Wheat closed 1 to 2 1/2 lower. May \$2.00-\$1.99, corn 1/2 to 1 cent lower. May \$1.58-\$1.52, oats 1/2 to 1 1/2 lower. May \$2.44-\$2.34, soybeans 1/4 to 3/4 lower. May \$3.82-\$3.91.

Chickens: None. Corn: No. 2 yellow 1.58. No. 3 1.58. No. 4 1.1-1.58. No. 5 1.49-1.50 sample grade 1.87-1.92. Oats: No. 1 white 75-77 1/2. Soybeans: None. Barley: nominal. Malting 1.20-1.22 feed 1.14.

**POULTRY AND PRODUCE** — CHICAGO (AP) — Live poultry about steady receipts 1,372 coops f.o.b. paying prices unchanged to 1 higher. Heavy hens 20-25 light hens 16-18 fryers or broilers 22-25 old roosters 15-16 caponettes 32-32.5.

Butter steady receipts 1,792,002 wholesale buying prices unchanged. 93 score eAA 56.75 92 A 56.75 80 B 54.25 89 C 52 cars 90 B 54.75 89 C 53.

Eggs weak receipts 20,509 wholesale buying prices 1/2 to 1 1/2 lower. U. S. large 32.5-34.5 current receipts 30.5 dirties 30 checks 29.5.

**NEW YORK STOCK** — NEW YORK (AP) — The stock market advanced moderately today with most areas of the list joining in the rise.

Gains at the best went to between 1 and 2 points, but most were small. Losses running to around a point dotted the list.

The market was higher at the start with many blocks on the top. It turned quiet later but prices improved gradually. Prices were maintained around their best into the early afternoon with occasional little flurries of activity.

**NEW YORK COTTON** — NEW YORK (AP) — Cotton futures were mostly higher today. Nearby May sagged on liquidation, prior to expiration of trading in that delivery on Wednesday. Commission house buying was stimulated by better sales in some tops of cotton textiles during the past week.

Late afternoon prices were 25 cents a bale lower to 25 cents higher than the previous close. May 34.49, July 34.52 and Oct. 34.14.

**Louisiana State Senator Threatened** — BATON ROUGE, La. (AP) — Sen. Robert Richards of New Orleans charged today two men threatened bloodshed unless he withdrew his support of the proposed right-to-work bill.

White-faced and shaken, Richards told reporters the two men followed him about the lobby of the Waldorf Hotel last night as lawmakers began pouring into town for the opening of the legislative session today.

"They trailed me upstairs to the mezzanine," he said, "and more or less crowded me into a corner to whisper the threat. Can you imagine that? To a state senator?"

The men, who were identified as "Bugs" and "Duke," were both known to Richards. He said he did not know their names.

## McClellan, Staff Kept Busy by Calls

By GORDON BROWN

WASHINGTON (AP) — There's one thing the Army-McCarthy hearings prove—the U. S. Sen citizen is exercising his right to speak his piece.

If there's any doubt on that point, just step into the office of Arkansas Sen. John L. McClellan. McClellan is senior Democratic on the Senate subcommittee conducting the hearings.

Nearly all these calls, telegrams and letters are about the hearings. McClellan's staff estimates there are about 200 phone calls every day.

Many of them are out of state calls. There are several hundred telegrams daily and the staff can only estimate the letters at "hundreds" every day.

One woman called to protest that a witness had mentioned having luncheon at the "Methodist club" in Washington. "It's the Methodist Building, not the Methodist Club," she protested. "I'd like to have you correct the record."

Many calls come from TV viewers who want to tell the senator what questions he should ask or how the hearings should be conducted.

For instance, when there was a considerable do-over that 2 1/2-page FBI letter or memorandum, several persons called to suggest that the senator bear down on the whereabouts of the original of the copy which Sen. McCarthy (R-Wis.) offered as evidence.

Some of the callers are abusive and the staff wastes little time on them.

But Ralph Mathews, McClellan's administrative assistant, says the great bulk of the calls are from persons, mostly women, who are genuinely interested or disturbed. Most of these callers, Mathews said, compliment McClellan on his conduct and attitude during the hearings.

"Lots of them tell us 'I'm not from Arkansas but I wish I were,'" Mathews said. "Now if we could just find some way to transport these people to Arkansas for the election—"

While the telephone calls are scattered through the day, most of them come right after the hearings wind up each day. That's when the TV and radio listeners apparently feel the strongest urge to communicate their views, and suggestions.

Not all the calls come to McClellan's office. He gets a good many at home some of them aft or he goes to bed.

The other 3 a. m. a fellow in California called with an idea he thought was good!

Although newborn Indian elephant maybe covered with fur which is soon shed, the adult elephants has very spars chair.

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## Democrats Demand Policy Change

By EDWIN B. HAAKINSON

WASHINGTON (AP) — Democrats demand for a change in America's foreign policy flared anew today in the wake of reports of free world set backs in Europe and Asia.

Some minority party members criticized this country's allies. Others took swipes at the Eisenhower administration's handling of foreign affairs, which in turn was defended by Republican leaders.

International problems were a possible topic at President Eisenhower's weekly conference with GOP congressional chiefs this morning.

The chief executive convened a special session of the strategy-making National Security Council Saturday, the day after word arrived of the fall of the Indochina fortress Dien Bien Phu to the Communists. Secretary of State Dulles, a Security Council member, conferred with a number of Republican senators afterwards. Today Eisenhower had appointments with Adm. Arthur W. Radford, chairman of the Joint Chiefs of Staff, and Secretary of Defense Wilson.

Sen. Smathers (D-Fla.) said in a speech prepared for Senate delivery today that developments in Indochina and Geneva prove that this nation's "old allies," including Britain and France, no longer stand up with us in "resolute determination to oppose Communist aggression."

As a result, the Florida senator said, this country should "seek new allies" among friendly Latin-American nations and other countries that have stoutly resisted communism.

Calling for a complete shift in foreign aid and trade programs, Smathers said Latin-American nations such as Brazil, Chile, Peru, Colombia and Venezuela should be moved from the bottom to the top of the list for U. S. aid.

He also asked continued encouragement for Greece and Turkey, which he said have demonstrated anti-Communist strength, and South Korea, Pakistan, the Philippines and Japan, which he described as similar outposts in the Pacific and Asia.

At the Geneva conference, Smathers said, England and France failed to support the United States and gave that conference some of the "awful aspects of a Munich."

In Indochina and Asia, he said, "we may take encouragement from prospects of keeping determined allies like South Korea, Pakistan, the Philippines and Japan, whereas there is no dependency to be placed in the colonial governments."



**UNIVERSAL BEAUTY** — Charlein Lander displays the form which won her the title of Miss Alaska and sent her to Long Beach, Calif., to compete in the forthcoming Miss Universe contest there. The 18-year-old beauty, daughter of an Air Force officer stationed in Alaska, won over 25 preliminary winners in her home town of Fairbanks.

## 'Justice' Necessary Part of Appeal

LITTLE ROCK (AP) — The Arkansas Supreme Court held today that "this appeal is not taken for purpose of delay but that justice may be done" is a necessary part of an appeal.

The ruling was made in sustaining St. Francis Circuit Court's dismissal of an appeal by the Rock Island Railroad from a judgment against it in Forrest City Municipal Court.

The Supreme Court, in a 4-3 decision, said that the Circuit Court properly dismissed the appeal because the affidavit was not included.

The majority opinion was written by Associate Justice Sam Robinson. Chief Justice Griffin Smith and Associate Justices J. S. Holt and Paul War dissented.

Although the conquering Spaniards found that the people of Peru had large numbers of emeralds, the source from which they obtained them never has been discovered.

## Boyle

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house bought every third drink in defiance of all business logic, and when a woman dared stick her head in the door the serious-minded students at the pinball machine shouted, "get out, you bum."

Moriarty took over the place on a gamble, helped by the money that his wife, Ruth, a schoolteacher, had saved. He grew out of the elderly jukebox and the pinball machine. He put in good simple stern food, invited in women, ran a clean place where everybody felt welcome. In other words he wiped a wonderful saloon out of the world and turned it into a fine co-educational restaurant.

Pat threw a party on the house the other night, just before moving to a new location on Sixth avenue west near 52nd street — Howie's old place.

It was a wonderful wake for a tavern. A heavy-browed dummy corpse with a 26-cent cigar ex-stated by the door. It looked exactly like Moriarty, if one could envisage a bar proprietor lying flat on his back gazing dreamily up at a cash register on the ceiling.

The celebrants included some top advertising men, a group of Rockettes and technicians from the Radio City Music Hall, song writers and actors, writers from magazines like Collier, Look, Time, Life, and two fellows who claimed they represented another magazine called the "Architectural Country Gentleman and Boy's home Companion."

Said Moriarty in farewell to 51st street:

"I am not a man to stand in the way of a Skyscraper. But money-wise I am back where I started. I won't have a jukebox or a pinball machine in the new place. There will be no drinks on the men, and no waiter will ever suggest to a customer that he should have a drink. But the drinks will be there if they ask for them. I hope good friends follow good food."

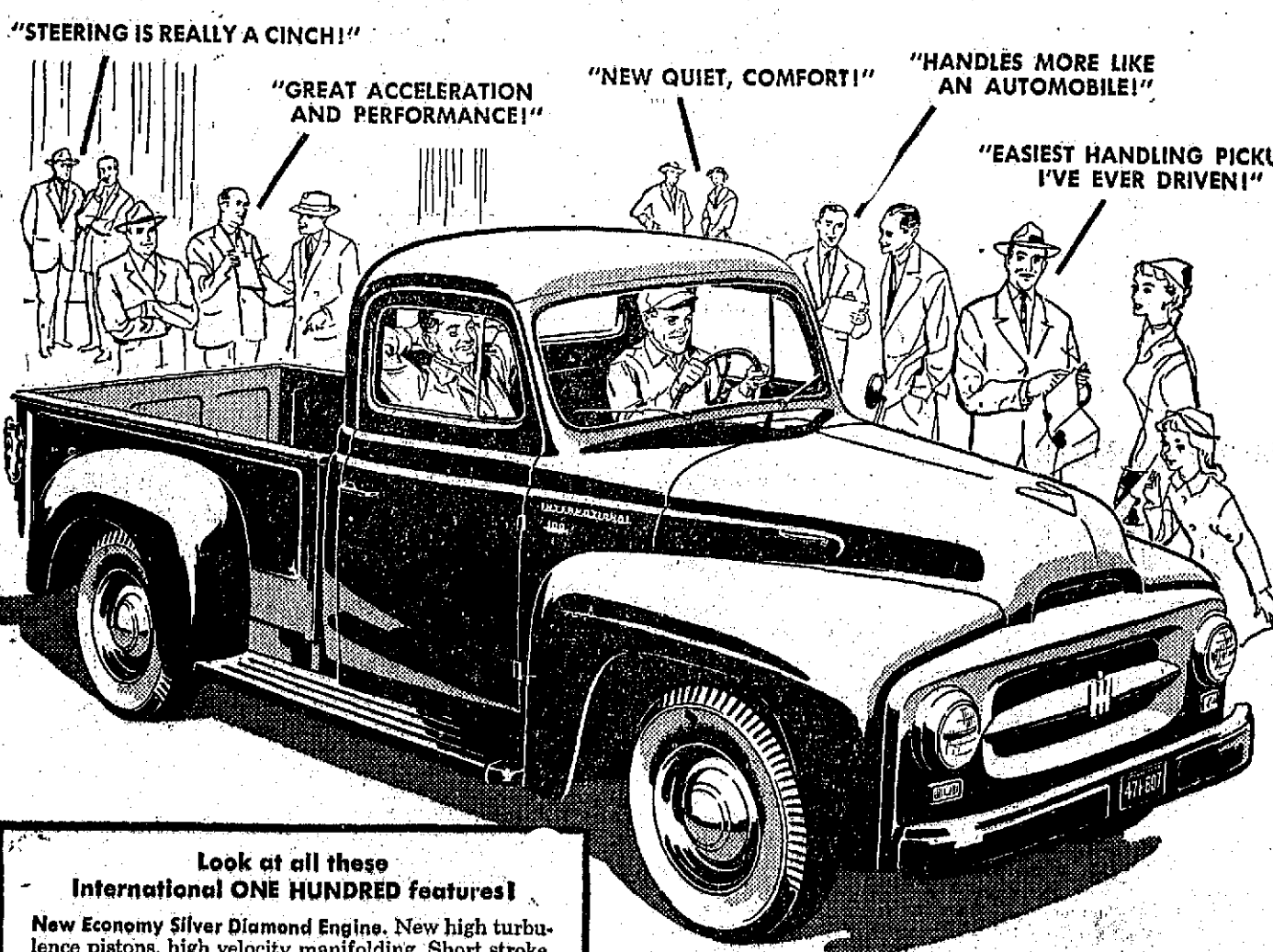
"All I did before I have to do again."

The rain fell hard as he turned the key forever on a door that led to many memories of many men. Some dead. Some not.

Before steel pens were made, quills from swan, crow, eagle, owl hawk, peacock and turkey feathers were used to make pens.

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## SOCIETY

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## Calendar

**Monday May 10**  
The Duplicate Bridge Club will meet tonight at the American Legion Hall at 7:30.

The Business Woman's Circle of the First Baptist Church will meet Monday May 10, at 7:45 p. m. in the home of Mrs. Aileen Johnson 704 East Third.

The willing Workers Auxiliary of the First Baptist Church will meet at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

Circle 4 of the Presbyterian Church will meet in the R. E. Jackson home at 7:30 p. m. Monday.

On Monday night, May 10, at 7:30 the Bleivins Home Demonstration Club is sponsoring a box supper at the Bleivins Park. The money will be contributed toward the 4-H Club House at Fayetteville. The public is invited.

The Wesleyan Service Guild of the First Methodist Church will have a potluck supper on Monday evening, May 10th, in the Fidelity Sunday School room. After supper, Mrs. J. W. Patterson will install the new officers for the coming year.

**Tuesday May 11**  
The Lilac Garden Club of DeAnn will meet Tuesday afternoon, May 11, at two o'clock in the home of Mrs. James Hoyt Burke, with Mrs. Elston Willis as co-hostess. Miss Sally Timmerlake, program chairman, will be in charge of the program. Each member is asked to bring a mass flower arrangement.

Chapter AE of the P. E. O. Sisterhood will meet in the home of Mrs. Herbert Stephens at three o'clock Tuesday afternoon at three o'clock. For transportation call 7-2422.

**Tuesday May 11**  
Girl Scout Troop 9 will meet Tuesday, May 11 after school at the Little House. The troop is under the leadership of Mrs. Frank Yarbrough and helper, Jane Burroughs. Hostesses are Nancy Reese and Kay Downing. Each girl is asked to bring her membership dues which is one dollar.

**Wednesday May 12**  
Brookwood P. T. A. will meet at 3 p. m. Wednesday in the school auditorium. Mrs. Jim McKenzie will preside over the installation of officers.

On Wednesday, May 12, at 3 p. m., the Garland P. T. A. will meet in the school auditorium. Officers for the 1954-55 school year will be installed at this time. An executive meeting will be held at 2:30.

**Thursday May 13**  
Junior-Senior High P. T. A. will meet Thursday, May 13, at 3:30 p. m. in the Junior High School auditorium. This will be the last meeting of the school year and at this time the officers for the next school year will be installed and committees announced. The executive board will meet at 3 p. m.

**Tuesday May 11**  
Tuesday evening, May 11th, at 7:30, the Beacon Sunday School class of the First Baptist Church will hold their monthly social in the home of Mrs. Orville Taylor, 318 East 13th. Mrs. Pod Rogers will be co-hostess.

Azalea Garden Club  
Members Entertain Husbands  
The members of the Azalea Gar-

den Club entertained their husbands with a pot luck supper at the Fair Park on Thursday night, May 6. Supper was served to 40 after which several games were played. Hostesses were Mrs. Talbot Field, Jr., Mrs. A. L. Park, Mrs. Sid Rogers, Mrs. Lloyd Guerin, Mrs. Kelly Bryant, and Mrs. Thompson Evans, Jr. Preceding the supper, a short business session was held at which time the club voted to take part in the Hat Show, to be held Tuesday night at the Saenger, sponsored by the Rose Garden Club.

**Mrs. Charles Garrett Honored With Miscellaneous Shower**  
Mrs. Earl Ray Hunter honored Mrs. Charles Garrett, recent bride, with a miscellaneous shower on Friday night, May 7, at 7:30 at her home.

Following the playing of games, the honoree was presented with many useful gifts.

The hostess served ice drinks and cookies to Mrs. Tom Trout, Miss Venece Trout, Mrs. Opal Cox, Mrs. Faye Pettit, Mrs. Roy Thompson, Mrs. Olin Fagan, Mrs. Dalton Garrett, Mrs. W. E. Thornton, Mrs. John Revels, Mrs. Sue Foster, Mrs. Carl Thornton, Mrs. Beattie Hunter, Mrs. Ira Thornton and Mrs. Inez Williams.

**U. D. C. Chapter Has Picnic**  
The Pat Cleburne Chapter of the United Daughters of the Confederacy of Hope, organized March 7, 1896, held the annual picnic on Wednesday, May 5th, at the historic old state capitol, Washington, Arkansas.

Mrs. J. J. Battle (Bessie Royston) called the meeting to order. The Reverend Ault, minister of the Washington Methodist church, gave the invocation. Mrs. Battle led in the salute to the flags. "America" and "Dixie" were sung by the group, led by Mrs. Charles Locke.

At this time the distinguished guests were introduced. Mrs. John Wieman, Little Rock, past president of the Arkansas Division of the U. D. C., who has held many positions of honor in the national organization. She gave a very interesting and informative talk on her part in the restoration of the old Confederate State Capitol. It was in Mrs. Wieman's regime that the money was appropriated by the legislature. Mrs. A. E. Slusser, president of the Arkansas Division of the U. D. C. who has brought many honors to Arkansas. Mrs. Charles Moss Williams, author of the "The Old Town Speakers". Mrs. H. C. Whitworth, president of the Pat Cleburne Chapter of the U. D. C., and Judge James Pilkinton, guest speaker, who gave a most inspiring address "Way Heroes of the South".

Following the blessing, which was voiced by Mrs. Gus Haynes, a delicious picnic lunch was served. Much credit is due the hospitality of the Trimble sisters of Washington, Mesdames J. W. Butler (Nelle Trimble), W. E. Etter (Charles Trimble) and James Wilson (Mattie Trimble).

Mrs. J. W. Butler presented a U. S. flag to be kept in the Confederate capitol building. Hostesses for the picnic were Mrs. J. M. O'Neal, Mrs. Pat Casey and Mrs. Mary Duncan. There were 42 guests and members present from Ozark, Texarkana, Washington, Hope and Little Rock.

The local chapter plans to have an Old Southern party soon in the old state capitol building. The public will be invited.

**Alpha Delta Chapter Of Delta Kappa Gamma Society Has Meeting**  
The Alpha Delta Chapter of Delta Kappa Gamma Society held its final meeting of the year in the home of Mrs. B. C. Hyatt on May 7 at 7:30 p. m.

Mrs. Hyatt was in charge of the program, of which the theme was Music of United Nations. Miss Carolyn Story, a sophomore in Hope High School, sang "Morning" with Mrs. Hyatt as accompanist. Miss Carolyn Lewallen, also sophomore and Mrs. Hyatt played as a piano duet a group of Flemish, Dutch, and Swedish dances. Miss Story and Miss Lewallen sang "Prayer of a Norwegian Child," with Mrs. Hyatt as accompanist. In a talk on "Music to United

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Nations' Mrs. Hyatt placed emphasis on the effectiveness of music education on international relations as a means of developing esteem and brotherhood among the people of the world.

Mrs. H. L. Hanagan, retiring president, installed the following new officers: president, Mrs. R. E. Jackson; first vice-president, Mrs. P. L. Perkins; second vice president, Mrs. Thomas Hays; corresponding secretary, Mrs. Frank Mason; recording secretary, Mrs. Otis Breed; and treasurer, Mrs. Elmer Brown.

Following the program, the hostess served a dessert plate with coffee to the 13 members and one guest, Mrs. Ray Harper of the Beta Chapter of DKG, Dodge City, Kansas.

## Notice

The regular Game Night at the Hope Country Club which was scheduled for Tuesday night, has been postponed until Tuesday night, May 18, because of the conflict with the Hat Show.

## Coming and Going

Mrs. John Robins left Sunday morning for Helena, where she will visit for a month or two in the home of her daughter, Mrs. John Barrow, and Mr. Barrow. She will also visit Dr. Barrow and his family while there.

Mrs. Royce Weisenberger, Royce J. and Don Weaver visited Miss Frances Weisenberger at the University of Arkansas and attended the Eighth Annual Gaebele celebration presented by the student of the university.

Sgt. and Mrs. David Ferris and children, Cathy and Rose Mary, arrived in the states on Thursday from Japan. After spending two days with his parents in Denver, Colorado, they arrived in Hope on the following Tuesday to visit with Mrs. Ferris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Jess Morris. They also visited Mrs. Morris' parents, Mr. and Mrs. Will Russell in Curtis and with Misses Pauline and Corrine Morris in Benton. Sgt. and Mrs. Ferris left Friday for New Jersey. Mrs. Ferris will be remembered as the former Miss Reba Morris.

Mrs. Nealy Parker of Wynnewood, Okla. has been the guests of friends in Ozark and Prescott for the past few days.

Mr. and Mrs. Clyde Chamberlain and children of Texarkana, were week-end guests of Mr. Chamberlain's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chamberlain.

Mrs. Ruth Bruner, Miss Lelia Betts, Mrs. Louis Sutton, Mrs. Sid Houston and Mrs. W. E. Honea have returned home from Memphis, Tennessee, after attending the Ora Roberts Tent Revival.

Mr. and Mrs. Coy Breeding and Johnny and Mrs. and Mrs. J. H. Breeding will leave Wednesday for a few months visit in Lima, Ohio.

Miss Elsie Weisenberger, North Little Rock City Librarian, visited her mother, Mrs. Stella Weisenberger, and her brother, Royce Weisenberger, and family over the week-end.

Bert Chamberlain, student at Southern State College in Magnolia spent the week-end in the home of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Bert Chamberlain.

## Hospital Notes

Julia Chester  
Discharged: Mrs. Roy G. Thrash  
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## Top Radio Programs

**NEW YORK (AP)**—Selected programs tonight: Monday: NBC—7 MacRae musical 8 Voorhees concert 8:30 Band of America... CBS—7 Suspense with Van Heflin 8 Radio Theater 7:15 Jack Gregson Show 8:30 Doorway to Future... MBS—7 The Falcon 7:30 Under Arrest.

## Decisions in Supreme Court

**LITTLE ROCK**—The Arkansas Supreme Court today handed down these decisions:

Chicago, Rock Island and Pacific Railroad vs. Max Cohen, appealed from St. Francis Circuit Court, affirmed.

Clinton R. Barry vs. E. F. Brittain, Sebastian Probate Court, reversed.

Thomas H. Adams vs. Florentine Adams, Union Chancery Court affirmed.

Johnny Bob Howard vs. Margie Bale Stuckey, Pulaski Circuit Court, affirmed.

Winnifred Barbee and others vs. Richard B. Carpenter and wife, Benton Chancery Court, reversed.

Luther B. Smith vs. Bernice G. Smith, Washington Chancery Court, dismissed "without prejudice."

Maurice Letaw and others vs. Chancellor W. Leo Smith, petition for writ of certiorari to Crittenden Chancery Court, granted.



**STARS IN EVERYDAY LIFE**—Better look twice before coming to any conclusions. At first glance these girls look like three movie stars pictured together in one of their more glamorous moments. However, they are three real, not "real" life charmers who won a look-alike contest sponsored by the New York World-Telegram and Sun. They are, left to right, typist Jeannette Johnson (Lauren Bacall), model Liz O'Leary (Marilyn Monroe), and housewife Jan Schwartz (Betty Grable).



Slipcovers improvised from brightly colored bath towels will protect your furniture from summer's stains and wear-and-tear. Only pinned on, they're easily removed for washing, and need no ironing.

## DOROTHY DIX

## Widow Meets Cheat

Dear Miss Dix: For the past seven years I have been intimate with a man who had been a childhood sweetheart some fifteen years before. I am a widow. He is anticipating a divorce so we can be married. In the past six months I have discovered he is seeing another woman. He denies it, but I know it's true. He still declares his love for me. I have considered following him, to prove my suspicions. Do you think I should? I think you solutions to others problems are perfect.

Answer: You endow your friend with praise, but he has cheated on his wife for seven years and is now deceiving you, lying in his teeth about you, yet you call him "fine". Well, his attributes show us under a far different and much less complimentary adjective in my estimation. Perhaps your reasoning runs along the line that since your own code of ethics is scarcely above reproach, his qualities are "fine" in comparison to yours. Have you really believed that you could hold a man after you had stolen him from his wife? There is even less honesty among adulterers than among thieves.

O yes! You had a question—should you follow the man so you could find out in his betrayal of you? You'd discover exactly what you deserve to know—that a man who isn't true to one woman will not be true to another. You have it coming to you, and never can you look late in the face and cry that you have been mistreated. Save A Little Pride.

In order to save at least a bit of pride, why not get out of this mess before you're forced out? I'm afraid you won't consider this advice as "perfect" as some you have read, but certainly there is no perfect solution to your problem. You aren't a young girl; surely you've seen enough of life to know that happiness can never come from wrong doing. If you want happiness again, re-establish your personal integrity and face the world. It won't be easy to throw off an obsession of seven years, but the reward will transcend any pain of readjustment.

Dear Miss Dix: I'm 16 and have been going with Ray for two years. We went steady for a while, then broke up and, though we went out together occasionally, he spent most of his time with girls from a group not too highly regarded in our town. Recently he was in an accident and I went to see him at the hospital. I told him he'd have to choose between me and the other girls.

Answer: If you've known the man long enough to be sure of his disposition, if he can support adequately a sizable family, and if you both are congenial with all the girls there's no reason why the marriage should not work out. Just be sure to give careful consideration to the important matters.

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girls. He claimed he really likes me best, but also is interested in some one else. He asked me to wait for him. I know I can't forget him. What should I do?

Answer: You are both too young to be involved in definite commitments. Don't promise to wait, and don't make it too obvious that you'll always be around when he's ready to date you. Go out with other boys and tell Ray you don't think his vague promises are sufficient basis for you to tie down to steady dating—or steady waiting. You are growing up, and life ahead will have many problems, small and large, for you to solve. "I can't!" will never do. Learn now that what you make up your mind to do can be done. Forgetting a boy who isn't worthy of you is one of the things that must be done.

Dear Miss Dix: I'm a widow of 32, with two daughters. I have met a widower, also with two daughters who has asked me to marry him. I am seriously considering his offer, but have been advised against it because my folks don't think the two families will mix well. The ages of the four girls are 7, 11 and 13. They all like each other and I am confident it would work out.

Answer: If you've known the man long enough to be sure of his disposition, if he can support adequately a sizable family, and if you both are congenial with all the girls there's no reason why the marriage should not work out. Just be sure to give careful consideration to the important matters.

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In the kingdom of Laos, south of the fallen fortress, there was uneasy speculation that a new invasion toward the Laotian royal capital of Luang Prabang might be launched by the new plan of the Communist forces.

A French high command spokesman in Hanoi said he doubted the rebels would mount another general offensive in northern Indochina before the seasonal Monsoon rains hit their peak at the end of June.

The Vietminh kept up their daily small attacks on French communications and scattered French Union defense posts in the Red River delta centered on Hanoi.

A Radio Vietminh broadcast heard in Hong Kong today, said the captives taken in the defeat of Dien Bien Phu last Friday "include one general, the French commander of Dien Bien Phu." This was an apparent reference to Brig. Gen. Christian de Castries, though the broadcast did not use his name. Previous rebel broadcasts had claimed only the capture of the fort's "French commander" without identifying him either by rank or name.

The broadcast added that 1,000 other officers, ranking from colonel to warrant officer, also had been seized along with 8,000 French Union troops. There was no mention of Genevieve de Gaulle Terrance, the 29-year-old French nurse who was the only woman in the fortress.

"The people's army has captured all military officers and soldiers in the Dien Bien Phu area," the rebel radio said. It said 21 French Union companies had been annihilated in the battle for the fortress.

French planes ranging over Northwest Indochina yesterday spotted scattered groups of rebel soldiers lining up bands of the captives for the long march over the jungled mountains to concentration camps in the North. The day before the French fliers had spotted a long column of men, presumably prisoners, marching north from the valley site of the valiant last stand.

About 30 of the 92 elements occur in nature in free form.

## A House Big Enough

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The accusation in Mrs. Nelson's voice lashed out at Elaine and the last vestige of her confidence faded away. Astrid's mother suspected that Elaine had broken that plate and was reminding Mrs. Dahlstrom of that fact.

"Yes, Mary, it was broken," Mrs. Dahlstrom admitted with unbelievable nonchalance.

"Oh, how awful! How on earth did you do it? You were always so careful with your things!" Mrs. Dahlstrom shrugged inconspicuously. "An accident. They happen. No one ever breaks plates on purpose." Mrs. Dahlstrom glanced to the doorway and saw Elaine. For a moment she seemed ready to smile, then apparently decided not to.

Without knowing what to do, Elaine put out her hand to steady herself.

Mrs. Nelson followed Mrs. Dahlstrom's eyes to Elaine in the doorway. She stiffened, but did not smile.

"Mary," Mrs. Dahlstrom said, "I think you know Elaine, my daughter-in-law. She went to high school in Rudeville. Elaine, this is Mary Nelson, Astrid's mother."

Mrs. Nelson's cold eyes seemed to shoot shiny arrows of enmity toward Elaine.

Automatically, Elaine extended her hand as she went across the room to the kitchen table. "Hello, Mrs. Nelson."

Mrs. Nelson let her hand hang in Elaine's hand. The clasp seemed limp and calloused during the second it lasted. Then the older woman asked, "Was that you playing the piano?"

Mrs. Nelson's lips curled but they did not seem to make a smile. "Astrid always plays those pieces. You've heard her, haven't you, Signe? She's a fine player, Astrid is. A fine player." She repeated the words with emphasis that was not lost on Elaine. Mrs. Nelson was suggesting that Astrid's rendition was much more worthy.

"Those old Norwegian songs are nice when you know how to play them."

As though her hands were at fault, Elaine thrust them behind her. "I'm really not much of a musician."

"If I were the lady my friend Signe pretends to be, I'd congratulate you, Elaine, for hooking Tom Dahlstrom. But I can't be a hypocrite."

"Mary!" Signe Dahlstrom's voice cracked like a whip.

Mrs. Nelson turned her fury on Mrs. Dahlstrom. "I'm going to speak my mind, Signe. Tom should have married Astrid. This marriage to the Allen girl won't work out. He'll soon get tired of a woman who'll cavort around the school auditorium stage like a 'hot tent', making like she thinks she's a chorus girl!" Mrs. Nelson paused, almost panting, to gather vengeance for more words.

"I'm surprised at you, Mary," Mrs. Dahlstrom said. Her voice betrayed injured feelings. "Everyone I talked to thought the little dance Elaine did was delightful. And so did I."

"You did?" Mrs. Nelson flung at her. "Maybe you're also delighted that you have to look at Clem

Allen's daughter day in and day out."

"Please leave my father out of this," said Elaine.

"I never objected to your family," Mrs. Dahlstrom said. "Certainly not your father."

Elaine couldn't believe she heard correctly. This wasn't real Mrs. Dahlstrom speaking. Some peculiar reason she was having Mrs. Nelson's mind.

"Of course not. Evenly only Mrs. Nelson sneered."

"Folks remember the worst things," was Mrs. Dahlstrom's quiet answer. "As they say, Clem and I went out for a long time. We were never serious about another."

Elaine felt like her knees were about to cave in.

As quickly as her immense body would permit, Mrs. Nelson jumped up. "Well, I know her kind. Only a pretty face. A crying eye. You hear. You're not going to like Elaine, Mrs. Dahlstrom."

Mrs. Dahlstrom looked up sadly and sympathetically at the ragged woman standing over her. "This is a big house," Mrs. Dahlstrom said. "Then, as though Elaine was letting Mrs. Nelson in on a secret, she added, 'And believe me, even old Rex Torvald's old boy horse, like her.'"

"Defeat raced across Mrs. Nelson's face. She stalked to the door. A second later, Elaine jumped the vigor with which she slammed it.

Afraid to meet Mrs. Dahlstrom's eyes, Elaine stood staring at the floor. Tom's mother could tell what she meant. She said, "There's no house in all Wisconsin big enough for both of them. Elaine began to tremble."

Then she heard Mrs. Dahlstrom sigh and say softly, "Why do you have a cup of coffee with Lenny? I'm sure you haven't had breakfast. There was a kitchen quality—a sort of husband's quality—older woman's voice. And she was also a quality of understanding and a begging to be understood."

Elaine raised her eyelids slowly and looked down into Mrs. Dahlstrom's eyes. The purple patches were still there and Elaine was sitting with a sort of limp under her knees. Remember for all the meaning, unqualified thought she had had along with Mrs. Dahlstrom's plain heart, she was a quality of happiness began to show on her face.

"Thank you," she said. "I'll join a cup of coffee with you, Ma." She turned away from the tears welling in her eyes. "Added, 'But first I'll have to go to Tom. He's something very important to tell him.'"

THE END

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## Political Announcements

The Star is authorized to announce the following candidates for public office subject to the action of the Democratic primary elections.

**For Treasurer**  
HARRY HAWTHORNE  
CLIFFORD BYERS  
DWAYNE RIDGILL

**For County Clerk**  
ARNOLD J. MIDDLEBROOKS  
JOLLY (MONTETTE) BYERS  
ARTHUR ANDERSON

**For Sheriff and Collector**  
W. B. (BUD) RUGGLES  
JIMMY COOK  
R. D. (SON) PHILLIPS  
TOM MIDDLEBROOKS  
CLAUDE H. SUTTON  
SYVELLE BURKE

**Alderman Ward Three**  
B. L. RETTIG  
A. P. DELONEY

**For Prosecuting Attorney**  
ROYCE WEISENBERGER  
PRESTON DOWD  
TRAVIS MATSIS  
VAN JOHNSON

**Alderman Ward Four**  
JESSE L. BROWN  
CHARLES TAYLOR  
HOMER BEYERLEY

**Alderman Ward Two**  
JOHN S. GREENE  
FOREST L. HAIR  
T. O. (TOP) PORTER

**Alderman Ward One**  
MRS. KATHRYN LOU FRANKS  
JOE JONES

**For State Senate**  
7th District  
GENE LEE

**For City Attorney**  
C. V. NUNN, JR.

## THE STANDINGS

### COTTON STATES LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Greenville	8	2	.600
El Dorado	6	4	.600
Monroe	6	4	.600
Meridian	4	6	.400
Pine Bluff	3	6	.333
Hot Springs	2	7	.222

### Yesterday's Results

Hot Springs at El Dorado (ppd, rain)  
Greenville 9 Pine Bluff 3.  
Meridian at Monroe (ppd, rain)

### Today's Games

Greenville at Hot Springs  
El Dorado at Meridian  
Monroe at Pine Bluff

### NATIONAL LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Brooklyn	13	6	.688
Cincinnati	14	9	.609
Philadelphia	11	9	.550
St. Louis	12	11	.520
New York	11	11	.500
Chicago	9	9	.500
Milwaukee	9	11	.450
Pittsburgh	7	17	.292

### Yesterday's Results

Chicago 5, Milwaukee 4  
New York 5, Pittsburgh 4  
Brooklyn 2, Philadelphia 1  
St. Louis 10-5, Cincinnati 7-6

### Today's Games

(No Games scheduled)

### AMERICAN LEAGUE

Team	W	L	Pct.
Detroit	11	5	.688
Chicago	14	9	.609
Cleveland	12	8	.600
New York	11	9	.550
Philadelphia	9	11	.450
Washington	7	12	.368
Boston	5	9	.357
Baltimore	6	12	.333

### Yesterday's Results

New York 7-1, Philadelphia 4-1  
Baltimore 2, Cleveland 1  
Detroit 3-0, Chicago 2-0 (second game tie, 10 innings)  
Washington at Boston (1, ppd rain)

### Today's Games

New York at Cleveland (night)  
Philadelphia at Baltimore (night)  
(Only games scheduled)

### SOUTHERN ASSOCIATION

Team	W	L	Pct.
Birmingham	18	11	.621
New Orleans	17	13	.567
Atlanta	15	12	.558
Chattanooga	14	12	.533
Mobile	13	18	.418
Little Rock	10	14	.417
Nashville	10	14	.417
Memphis	12	17	.414

### Yesterday's Results

Atlanta 11, Little Rock 4  
Memphis 4, Birmingham 3  
Mobile 6, Nashville 5  
Chattanooga 4-0, New Orleans 3-2

### Today's Games

Little Rock at Atlanta  
Memphis at Birmingham  
Chattanooga at New Orleans  
Nashville at Mobile

### MINOR LEAGUE BASEBALL

By THE ASSOCIATED PRESS

American Association

Charleston 3-2 Indianapolis 2-0

Kansas City 2, Columbus 1 15

Toledo 11-2 St. Paul 2-0

Minneapolis 4-0 Louisville 3-4

Texas League

Denton 7-0 Dallas 3-0

Fort Worth 7-0 Oklahoma City 3-0

## Legionnaires Down College Crew 4-2

The Hope Legionnaires downed the Texarkana Junior College Bulldogs 4 to 2 in a seven inning exhibition game Saturday night at Legion park.

A hit batsman, a single by Gary Anderson, combined with a wild pitch and an error by the shortstop produced the Legionnaires first two runs. This came in the initial inning.

Hope then got a third run in the third inning on two errors and a pass ball. The final run came in the fifth on a triple by Gary Anderson and a double by Buddy White.

The Bulldogs tallied in the seventh, but the two-run rally faded as they left runners stranded on second and third.

Charles Gough, winning pitcher, gave up 10 runs on five hits, walked five and struck out eight. The loser Charles Purdie, gave up five runs on as many hits, fanned six while walking but two.

### HOPE

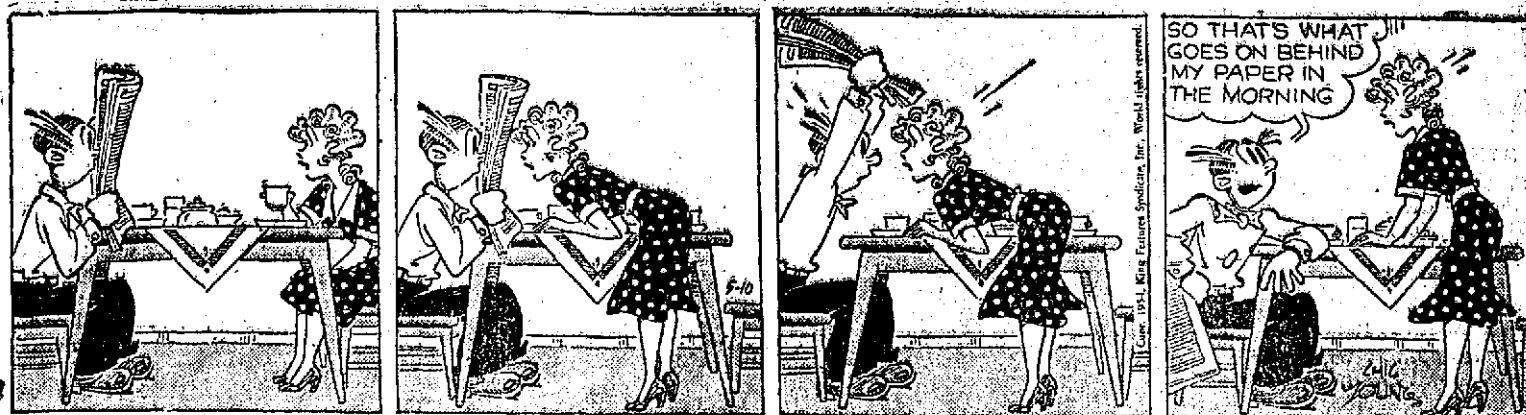
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Gunter, W. H. LF	3	0	0
White, Bob 2B	2	1	0
Anderson SS	3	3	2
White, Buddy RF	3	0	1
Thomas CF	2	0	0
Thompson (C) C F	0	0	0
Beasley 1B	3	0	0
Martin C	2	0	1
Gunter, Bill 3B	3	0	0
Gough P	2	0	0
Totals	23	4	4

### TEXARKANA

Player	AB	R	H
Clem, LF	4	1	1



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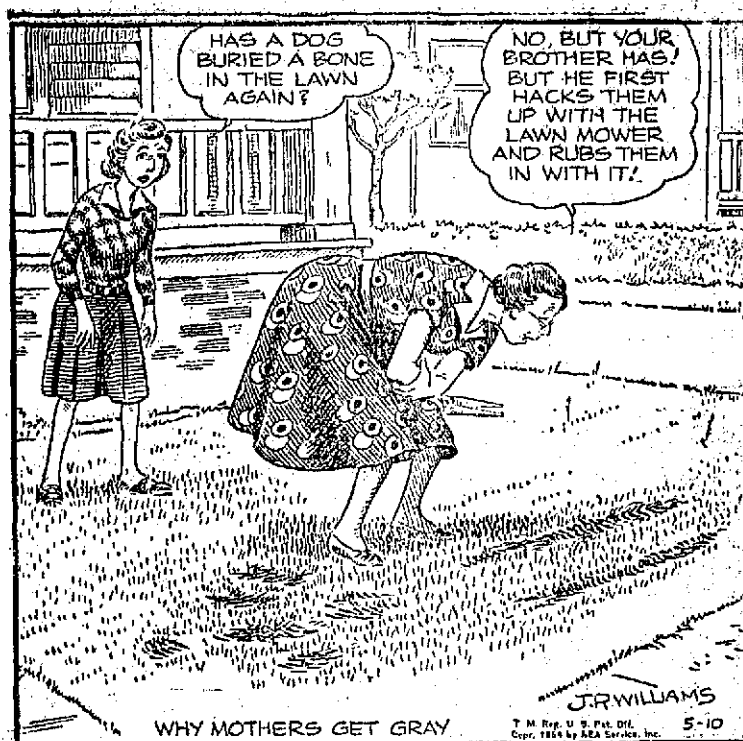
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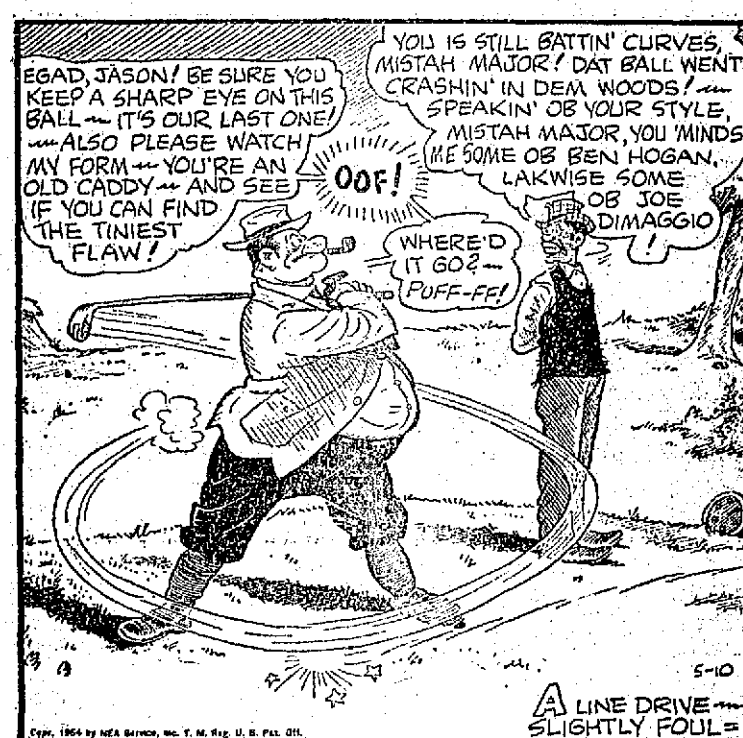
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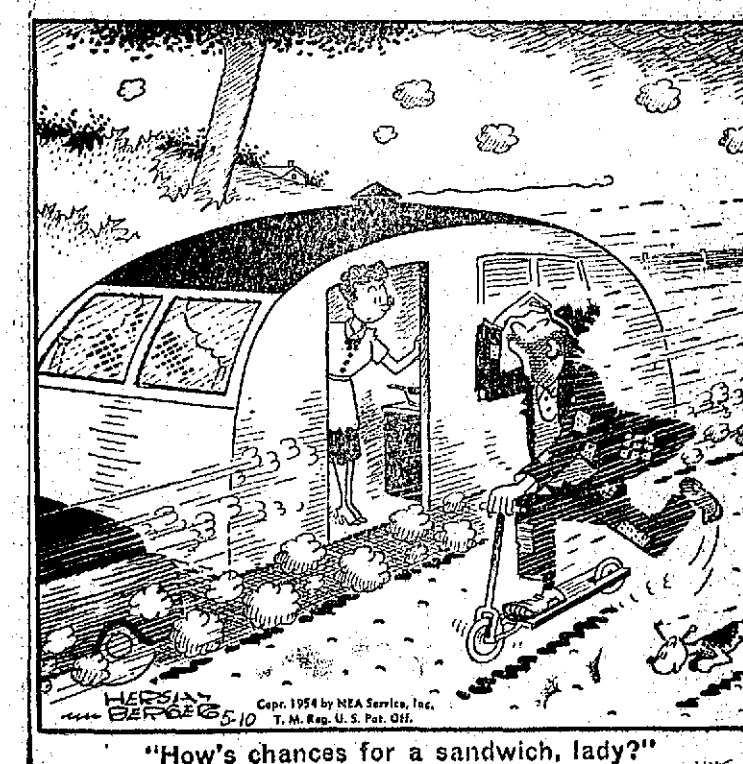
OUR BOARDING HOUSE



A LINE DRIVE-- SLIGHTLY FOUL--

FUNNY BUSINESS

By Hershberger



SWEETIE PIE

By Nadine Selzer



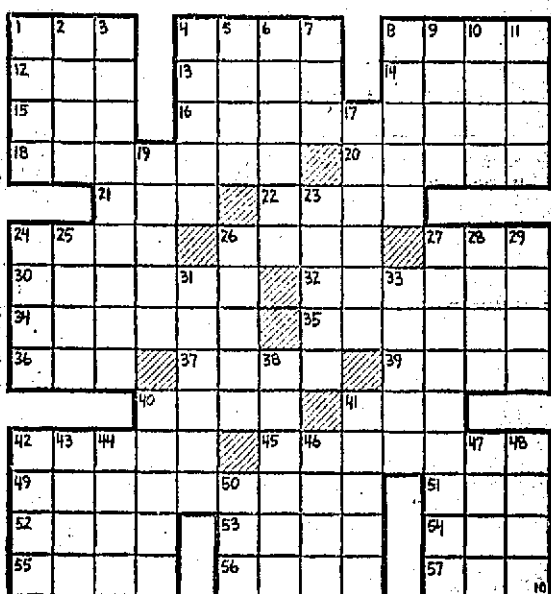
"He's a yachtsman, too--he owns a war surplus life raft!"

Tree Top Tall

Answer to Previous Puzzle

ACROSS  
1 Shade tree  
4 Fruit tree  
8 Mouthward  
12 Scottish river  
13 Ireland  
14 Speed contest  
15 Wander idly  
16 Sallable  
18 Redactors  
20 Gets up  
21 Metrie  
22 measures  
23 Sea eagles  
24 Repetition  
26 Continent  
27 Stitch  
30 On ship  
32 Blow  
34 Distributed  
35 Holder  
36 Footlike part  
37 Sleeping places  
39 Posture  
40 Female horse  
41 Ventilator  
42 Jargon  
45 Doing wrong  
49 Edging  
51 For shame!  
52 Century plant  
53 Incite  
54 Country hotel  
55 Places  
56 Beverage made with malt  
57 Letter of alphabet

DOWN  
1 Rim  
2 Guide  
3 Arbitrators  
4 Coins from Mexico  
5 One who repairs  
6 Plastic ingredients  
7 Cat's cry  
8 Kind of root  
9 Rodents  
10 Hurt  
11 Pashas  
12 Decorated  
13 Entertain  
14 Ventures  
15 Grate  
16 Musical instrument  
17 Viper  
18 Sleep-producing  
19 Pieces out  
20 Existed  
21 Refund  
22 Gloomy dean  
23 Cave  
24 Gloomy dean  
25 Number  
26 Heredity unit  
27 Polish



CARNIVAL

By Dick Turner



SIDE GLANCES

By Galbraith



"I'll wait till you drink it and I'll take the bottle out-- in case you get sore at the umpire again!"

VIC FLINT



WASH TUBBS



BOOTS AND HER BUDDIES



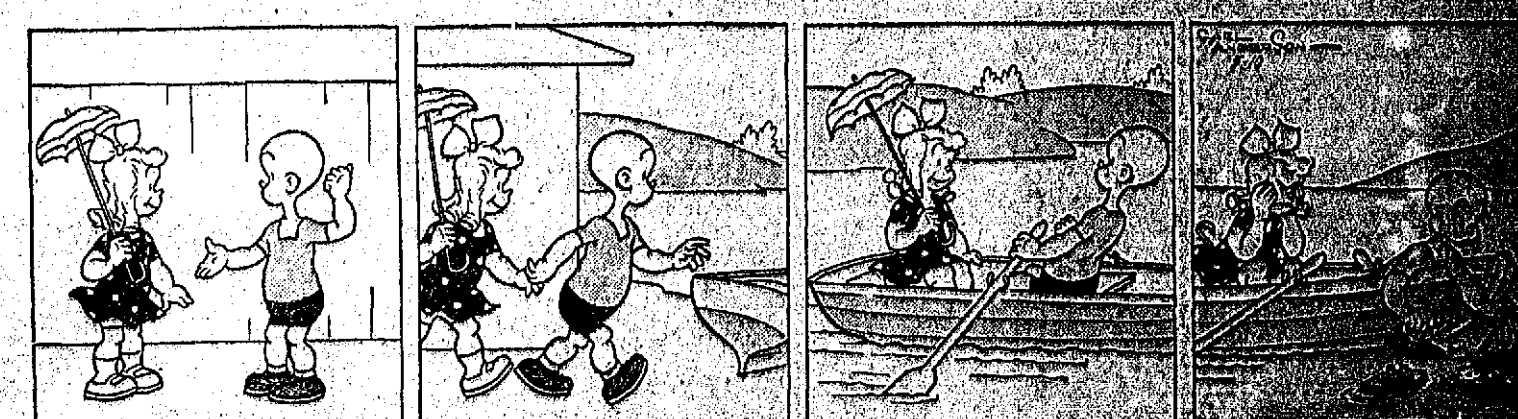
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ALLEY OOP



HENRY



THE STORY OF MARTHA WAYNE





## er Poses Question of Violation

JAMES MARLOW

WASHINGTON (AP)—Yes, indeed, the senator agreed with Sen. McCarthy that the senator was with him in refusing to reveal the name of the informant. So McCarthy, in his usual manner, must either have been talking through his teeth or he has yet disclosed, or he started talking without realizing the full meaning.

Sen. McCarthy had told the subcommittee investigating the Army officers had given information on spying sent by the Army confidential informants for no one but the

senator not only said he would reveal the officer's name but on the occasion to promise, not to reveal the names of any other officers of the executive branch might give him information.

Joseph N. Welch, special counsel for the Army, questioned McCarthy's right to withhold the name, Jenkins said McCarthy was justified. But Jenkins, counsel for the McCarthy subcommittee, didn't go into the problem involved.

He said this officer violated the law by giving information to the Army on its investigation of espionage at Ft. Monmouth. It's not clear yet whether the officer violated a law or

was stated by the Justice department that this man did violate a law. Will McCarthy still reveal the name? That would put McCarthy in the position of covering up a violation.

McCarthy himself in violation of any law. (1) In receiving information and (2) in attempting to make that information available to the Senate investigation committee. His charge that the Army was lax in Communist

although he was chairman of the Senate committee investigating communism in the government, McCarthy had never been charged by President Eisenhower with anyone else in the executive branch to receive this information.

Whether or not a law was violated in this episode in the McCarthy Army dispute hits the heart of the problem of maintaining orderly government. The separation of powers between Congress and the executive branch of the government.

McCarthy says his officer-investigation motives were entirely proper in giving him the information. He says the officers of the Army were too slow in reporting out Communist

the possible man's motives were malice, revenge, neurosis, something else, not patriotism. So long as his identity is in the government may never be used to reveal the man's motives.

McCarthy's attempt by the Senate to judge what is necessary for the country's welfare — balance secrecy on the investigation of spies until the spies are finished and the spies are broken down if this research is revealed out of the agency conducting the

President Truman and Eisenhower have both withheld security information from Congress for various reasons. To protect innocent people are not being investigated, messaged that Congress is not interfering with the work and responsibility of the executive branch.

In this instance McCarthy was encouraging other employees to withhold security information to the Senate subcommittee. If McCarthy's information in this case was made public, said no

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"UNACUSTOMED AS I AM . . ." Looking as self-conscious as would any amateur actor under the critical eye of a professional, President Eisenhower prepares to make a radio-television speech. His "supporting star" is actor-director-producer Robert Montgomery, who has been coaching the President in television technique.

## DOGS

Tom Farley

BY TOM FARLEY

The field trial man rates a dog on its ability to do the things for which its breed was originated. The bench show man rates a dog on its ability to do the things for which its breed was originated.

Both have their place in improving the various breeds of dogs. But among hunting dogs there is certainly reason to feel that the policy of breeding to bench show standards with no regard for ability in the field has done more harm than good.

A case in point would be the Irish Setter. Once fine bird dogs, they became popular for show purposes because of their natural beauty. Bench show points became more important than either desire to hunt or the physical characteristics which make a good field dog. And breeders naturally followed the market.

Beautiful dogs were bred with beautiful dogs. But as the progeny became more and more handsome, they tended to become poorer and poorer hunters. For, while there is no basic reason why a hunting dog cannot be both a bench show champion and a fine hunter, the hunting ability is an inherited trait that, once lost, is difficult to bring back.

But, as in all things, the pendulum swings, and lovers of the big red dogs are now trying to bring them back as a first class hunting dog. The National Red Setter Field Trail Club, for instance, is holding field trails and encouraging the use of top quality field dogs for breeding. Many are now

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## Last Night Was Durante's Swan Song

By BO STHOMAS

HOLLYWOOD (AP)—Last night the Great Schmoza did his swan song for the Comedy Hour, but he's not through with TV.

Jimmy Durante told me the reason he won't be back on the Sunday night extravaganza:

"They're changing the whole setup on the show. The advertising agency is taking over most of the shows (20 for next season). NBC has the rest and they want me to do only three or four next year. I don't want to do that. I think a comedian shouldn't be on any less than every four weeks."

"It's okay for guys like Martin and Lewis, because they're doing pictures too. But I don't want to do only three or four a season." Last night's show marked the end of Durante's association with the hour-long extravaganza. For three years, he was one of the kingpins of the All-Star Revue. When that series hit the rocks, he was switched over the Comedy Hour, for which he has done eight shows this season.

What about next year? "I don't know what I'll do," said the Schmoza. "I might do a half hour show every other week. This hour-show routine is kinda rugged. All that memorizin' to do! Most of the other stars read their lines off cards and prompts. I can't do that. I can't see that far without my glasses."

Jimmy, who has never been noted for a fabulous memory, faces the added burden of being on-camera for most of the show. And he always has special songs which require lots of memorizin'.

He emphasized that he wouldn't do a show every week for all the money the network could offer him. He'd like to alternate weeks

with another show. Jimmy is under long-term contract to NBC, so he's obliged to stay in TV, but he wants to any way.

"I think it's wonderful," he said. "It's a lot of work puttin' on an hour show, but after it's all over with, it don't seem so bad. And the reaction from the fans! It's wonderful. I'll never forget the letters I got from the first show I did. Great letters, and they didn't



The can-can ruffle influence is seen in fashions for small fry this spring. This small girl wears black-and-white printed nylon with deep side slit over a wide, ruffled petticoat. Her rose satin belt is matched to binding on petticoat.—By GAILE DUGAL, NEA Women's Editor.

even ask for an autographed picture. "I also got a great reaction from the last show I did — the one with Liberace. The people were wild about it."

The Amazon River was named by a Spanish explorer after a battle with Indians in which a large number of Indian women took part, reminding the explorer of the legend of the Amazons, a warlike race of women.

## Deaths Over the Nation

LITTLE ROCK (AP)—With three notable exceptions, the Arkansas Class B high school track and field meet here Saturday was strictly an Atkins benefit.

The Red Devils won championships of both senior and junior divisions. The r senior relay teams set state records in the mile and 440 and tied the 880 relay mark.

The three big exceptions to the Atkins monopoly were individual records.

Fred Massey of Harding Academy, Searcy, clipped four-tenths of a second off the 880-yard run record time with a time of 2 minutes, 5.2 seconds.

Lester Efrid of Magnet Cove set a mark of 52.5 seconds in the 440-yard dash. The old record was 53 flat.

Fordyce's Will Green, high scorer in the senior division with 15 points, tied the 180-yard low hurdle record of 20.4 seconds.

Atkins tallied 32½ points in the senior division. Its closest rivals were Fordyce with 28—, Harding with 19 and Magnet Cove with 17.

In the junior section, Atkins totaled 27, followed by Norphell with 22, Augusta with 18 and Hughes with 15.

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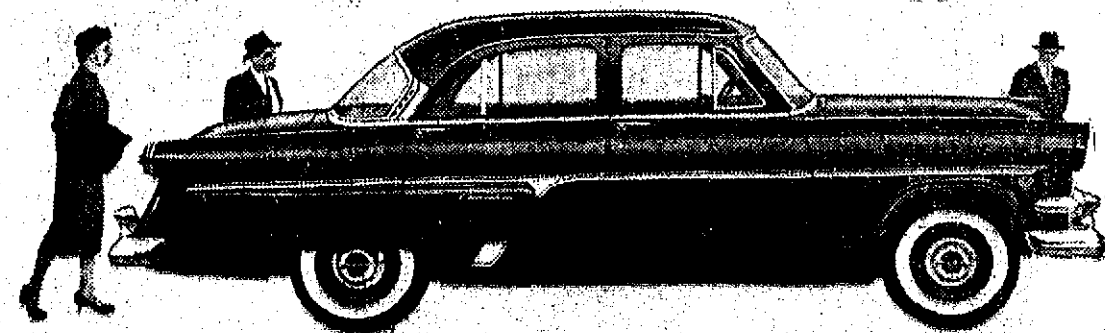
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